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TAGS: MTN, ETRD
SUBJECT: FINLAND'S INDUSTRIAL TARIFF OFFER AND MEETING
- ON AGRICULTURE

1. U.S. MTN DEL HAS RECEIVED FINNISH INDUSTRIAL TARIFF
OFFER, WHICH WILL BE HAND-CARRIED TO WASHINGTON BY BRUCE
WILSON. THE ATTACHED COVER LETTER AND NOTES RELATE THE
FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

A) "IN PREPARATION OF THE OFFER DUE ACCOUNT HAS BEEN
TAKEN OF THE OFFERS OF CERTAIN OTHER PARTICIPATING
COUNTRIES IN TARIFFS IN INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS, AS WELL
AS IN NON-TARIFF MEASURES AND AGRICULTURE PRODUCTS;"

B) THE RIGHT TO MAKE MODIFICATIONS IS RESERVED;
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C) THE SWISS FORMULA HAS BEEN APPLIED WITH A CO-
EFFICIENT OFH16, TAKING INTO ACCOUNT A CEILING OF
60 PERCENT REDUCTIONS;

D) FULL EXCEPTIONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN ON HIGHLY SENSITIVE
PRODUCTS REPRESENTING 9.2 PERCENT OF FINNISH MFN

IMPORTS;

E) THERE IS SOME DEVIATION FROM THE FORMULA IN THE
FORM OF GREATER OR SMALLER REDUCTIONS; AND

F) THE OFFER HAS BEEN CODED ACCORDING TO OFFER TYPE.

2. A BILATERAL ON PRODUCTS COVERED BY AGRICULTURE HAS
BEEN SCHEDULED FOR THE MORNING OF JUNE 2 TO DISCUSS
BILATERAL OFFERS AND REQUESTS. THE FINNS INDICATE THEY
WOULD LIKE TO HIGHLIGHT THEIR REQUEST TO THE U.S. ON VOD-
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